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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending, with the 36th Saturday in (23rd September 1927).

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1927										
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5						
1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE	Bangalore City & Taluk	0	46	1	07	13	53	23	22	—9	69				
	Hoskote	0	00	0	94	14	61	23	04	—8	43				
	Dodballapur	0	22	1	36	14	55	24	87	—10	32	Rice, 2nd	4'50	4'50	4'50
	Nelamangala	0	13	1	46	8	95	21	49	—12	54	sort.			
	Kankanhalli	0	46	1	32	15	53	25	56	—10	03	Ragi	9'50	9'00	10'00
	Magadi	1	40	1	29	17	44	23	51	—6	07				
	Channarayana	0	00	1	06	14	50	25	79	—11	29	Kulthi	5'75	5'75	7'00
	Anekal	0	46	1	10	17	48	24	51	—7	03				
	Devanhalli	0	00	1	26	10	64	21	46	—10	82	Kadale	6'00	6'00	7'00
	Closepet	0	12	1	30	10	53	28	53	—18	00				
District average		0	32	1	22	13	77	24	20	—10	43				
KOLAR	Kolar	0	00	1	57	8	63	15	35	—6	72				
	Bowringpet	0	00	1	14	9	30	14	92	—5	62				
	Chintamani	0	00	1	23	12	44	14	36	—1	92	Rice, 2nd	4'50	4'50	5'00
	Mulbagal	0	00	1	04	10	03	14	95	—4	92	sort.			
	Sidlaghatta	0	00	1	09	11	33	16	66	—5	33	Ragi	10'00	10'00	9'50
	Chikballapur	0	16	1	28	13	03	18	13	—5	10				
	Bagepalli	0	00	1	64	5	60	15	18	—9	58	Kulthi	5'50	5'50	6'00
	Goribidnur	0	00	0	94	9	36	14	30	—4	94				
	Malur	0	00	1	36	16	71	15	96	+0	75	Kadale	5'00	5'00	5'00
	Srinivasapur	0	00	1	40	8	13	15	42	—7	29				
Gudibanda	0	00	1	40	9	24	14	44	—5	20					
District average		0	01	1	28	10	35	15	42	—5	08				
TUMKUR	Tumkur	0	10	0	99	15	43	16	18	—0	75				
	Maddur	0	00	0	57	15	43	13	24	+2	19				
	Chikmagalur	0	13	0	45	13	14	13	60	—0	46	Rice, 2nd	4'50	4'50	4'50
	Sira	0	00	0	42	4	52	9	66	—5	14	sort.			
	Gubbi	0	00	0	73	11	94	13	77	—1	83	Ragi	10'00	10'00	9'45
	Tiptur	0	39	0	29	11	12	11	54	—0	42				
	Pavagada	0	00	0	32	5	43	9	64	—4	21	Kulthi	6'00	6'00	7'30
	Kunigal	0	50	1	58	11	66	15	06	—3	40				
	Koratagere	0	25	0	59	8	89	14	12	—5	23	Kadale	5'50	5'00	4'90
	Turuvekere	0	00	0	85	9	34	11	70	—2	36				
District average		0	14	0	68	10	67	12	83	—2	16				

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1927.									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (-) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	This week Seers	Past week Seers	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers	
MYSORE	Mysore	0	00	0	74	14	96	14	42	+0	54	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi.	4'50	5'00	5'00
	Chamrajnagar	0	19	0	75	14	31	12	53	+1	78				
	Soringapatam	0	00	1	26	8	53	14	99	-6	46				
	Hunsur	0	00	0	44	11	40	18	01	-6	61				
	Yedatore	0	00	0	62	9	17	14	69	-5	52				
	Heggaddevankote	0	19	0	66	16	44	23	36	-6	92	Kulthi	6'00	8'00	8'00
	Gundlupet	0	00	0	83	14	17	15	68	-1	51				
	Nanjangud	0	18	0	98	13	21	15	38	-2	17				
	T. Narsipur	0	35	1	13	12	77	15	06	-2	29				
	Malvalli	0	00	0	78	7	76	12	21	-4	45				
Mandya	0	00	0	94	10	64	12	16	-1	52	Kadale	5'00	5'00	5'00	
Krishnarajpete	0	00	0	65	10	41	16	93	-6	52					
Nagamangala	0	60	0	88	6	27	13	79	-7	50					
District average	0	12	0	82	11	54	15	82	-3	78					
HASSAN	Hassan	0	00	0	59	15	74	18	40	-2	66	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi	5'00	5'00	5'00
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	86	2	34	81	57	75	82	+5	75				
	Arkalgud	0	00	0	76	23	10	29	12	-6	02				
	Belur	0	30	0	42	23	48	27	87	-4	39				
	Channarayana	0	00	0	58	9	56	15	69	-6	13				
	Arsikere	0	12	0	62	9	06	13	41	-4	35	Kulthi	6'00	6'00	6'00
	Hole-Narsipur	0	00	0	70	15	17	14	96	+0	21				
	Alur	0	00	0	73	27	84	27	73	+0	11				
	Kadale	5'00	5'00	5'00											
	District average	0	16	0	84	25	69	27	87	-2	18				
SHIMOGA	Shimoga	0	25	0	74	15	77	21	96	-6	19	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi	5'00	5'00	4'82
	Channagiri	0	37	0	70	17	34	16	46	+0	88				
	Honnali	0	30	0	16	8	51	12	69	-4	18				
	Shikarapur	1	14	0	67	20	66	24	16	-4	50				
	Sorab	1	55	1	38	42	02	45	81	-3	79				
	Sagar	2	77	2	31	62	38	73	20	-10	82	Kulthi	5'50	5'50	7'68
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	2	36	3	38	77	11	92	85	-15	74				
	Tirthahalli	4	05	3	58	99	97	108	86	-8	89				
	Kumsi	1	05	0	94	28	86	30	60	-1	74				
	District average	1	54	1	54	41	41	47	40	-5	99				
KADUR	Chikmagalur	0	36	0	30	18	89	21	89	-3	00	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi	5'50	5'50	5'50
	Kadur	0	16	0	11	9	80	11	26	-1	46				
	Tarkore	0	50	0	79	25	32	24	13	+1	19				
	Koppa	5	03	3	89	104	31	99	00	+5	31				
	Mudgere	1	39	2	23	76	83	77	93	-1	10				
	Narasimharajapura	2	63	2	42	66	78	64	59	+2	19	Kulthi	6'50	6'50	7'75
	Sringeri	7	46	5	11	138	84	134	53	+4	31				
	District average	2	50	2	12	62	97	61	90	+1	07				
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug	0	08	0	47	6	92	11	84	-4	92	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi	4'50	4'50	4'00
	Challakere	0	00	0	06	1	79	7	58	-5	79				
	Hiriyur	0	00	0	25	6	82	10	06	-3	24				
	Holalkere	0	57	0	51	12	39	12	82	-0	43				
	Davangere	0	00	0	38	7	06	12	85	-5	79				
	Molakalmuru	0	15	0	25	7	96	8	72	-0	77	Kulthi	5'00	6'00	8'00
	Jagalur	0	00	0	18	6	13	11	55	-5	37				
	Hosdurga	0	05	0	21	11	01	10	78	+0	23				
	Harihar	0	00	0	23	6	81	12	10	-6	19				
	District average	0	09	0	28	7	56	10	92	-3	36				
Provincial average		0	61	1	10	23	00	26	98	-3	98				

Note.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.

Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare;
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
 9. *Agricultural operations.*—It is reported that gram is being cultivated in some parts of Hoskote and Anekal Taluks and that raiyats are engaged in removing the weeds and that crops are fading on account of failure of rains and that rain is urgently wanted for the crops throughout the district.
 - Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, mulberry, paddy, ragi, avare, jola, togari, groundnuts, potatoes and till are reported to be in good condition.
 - Crops harvested.*—Til is being harvested in some parts of Hoskote Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk.
 - Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
 11. *Condition of Agricultural stock.*—Cattle are reported to be healthy all over the district except for the prevalence of Naradi and Chappe Roga in some parts of Bangalore, Doddballapur and Channapatna Taluks.
- Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.
 - Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in removing the weeds in their fields in parts of Manahanahalli hobli in Goribidnur Taluk.
 9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.
 - Standing crops.*—Ragi, avare, thogari, paddy, sugar-cane and groundnuts are reported to be generally in good condition in parts of Chintamani Srinivasapur Taluks, but in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Goribidnur, Bagepalli and Gudibanda, it is also reported that they are withering for want of rain. Rain is urgently required for standing crops in the Chikballapur, Malur and Sidlaghatta Taluks.
 - Crops harvested, and their outturn.*—Nil.
 10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains—Stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
 11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district except for the prevalence of Sappa Roga in villages of Kamalapura, Rayanakallu, and Dandiganahalli in Goribidnur Taluk.
- Fodder and water are reported to be generally available for the present. It is reported that scarcity of water is being felt in the village of Bellur in the Bagepalli Taluk.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.
 9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram and paddy in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks.
 - Crops harvested.*—Gidd ragi in parts Maddagiri Taluk. Til in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; yields 8 annas.
 - Standing crops.*—Ragi, avare, togari, etc., require rain urgently. It is reported that the standing crops have begun to wither for want of rains. It is reported that rain is urgently wanted all over the district.
 10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.
 11. Cattle are reported to be healthy all over the District.
- Fodder and water are also reported to be available and adequate at present.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplantation of paddy is going on in parts of Gundlupet Taluk.

Standing crops.—Jola, ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, mulberry, til, castor, togari, avare, same, navane, chillies and groundnut and black and green grams are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Horse gram in parts of Hunsur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Jola in parts of Chamarajnagar, Seringapatam, Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks; Til in parts of Hunsur Taluk, Kar ragi in parts of Gundlupet and til in parts of Malvalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

It is reported that rain is badly wanted for standing crops of the district (particularly in Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks) except Mysore, Heggaddevankoté, Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalence of Doddaroga in Kirgadi and Amachavadi, Chamrajnagar Taluk and Chapperoga in Yelechakanahalli and Doddabogahalli at Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks, respectively.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, has been written to take precautionary measures.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Doddaragi is being transplanted in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk. Kulthi is being sown in the Hole-Narsipur and Belur Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; ragi in the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; sugar-cane in the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; togari and chillies in the Hassan and Belur Taluks; doddaragi and til in the Hassan Taluk; avare in the Belur Taluk and castor and jolam in the Channarayapatna Taluk are reported to be in good condition. Rain is urgently required for standing crops in the Belur, Arsikere, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk. It is reported that standing crops are suffering for want of rains in the Arsikere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Kar paddy, sugar-cane and til are being harvested in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" which is prevalent in the Aduvalli village, Hassan Taluk and cattle disease in the Belur village, Alur Sub-Taluk. It is reported that intimation has been sent to the Veterinary Inspector. Cattle are being inoculated in the Aduvalli village.

Water and fodder are generally available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the District.

Seeds sown.—Horse-gram in the Channagiri Taluk and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; navane in the Channagiri Taluk and ragi in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being sown. Transplantation of paddy is still going on in parts of Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi; ragi, avare, thogari and cotton in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali; groundnut and til in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good. It is reported that rain wanted in all the Taluks, especially in parts of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks. Rains are badly wanted.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available. Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in Thanigere village of Channagiri Taluk (7453.57) in Mandraghatta village of Channagiri Taluk and blackquarter in Astapanahalli village of Channagiri Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Transplanting of paddy is reported to be nearing completion in Chikmagalur, Tarikere and Koppa Taluks and also in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi, avare, and horsegram in Tarikere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the taluks and Sub-Taluks of the district; jolam, til, ragi, blackgram, avare, tingalavari, coriander in Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks; Coffee in Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks; onions in Chikmagalur Taluk; arecanut in Koppa, and Tarikere Taluks, and Sringeri and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluks; cardamom in Koppa and Mudgere Taluks are reported to be thriving well. It is reported that Koleroga is prevailing in small scale in Koppa Taluk and also in Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in Chikmagalur, greengram, blackgram, til and coriander, in Tarikere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available, and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks and Sub-Taluks of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*.—Ploughing, sowing and weeding operations are going on but more rains are needed.

Standing crops viz., ragi, jola, navane, cotton, paddy, togari, avare, horse gram, groundnut, castor, saje, til, sugar-cane, blackgram, halasandi, save, and chillies are reported to be generally in a fair condition but they are reported to be withering for want of rain in parts of the Chitaldrug, Jagalur, Davangere and Hosadurga Taluks and the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Challakere Taluk—Doddaragi. Holalkere Taluk—Horsegram. Molakalmuru Taluk—Doddaragi. Hosadurga Taluk—Ragi, avare togari and horse gram.

Crops harvested.—Challakere Taluk—Giddaragi and jola, 6 annas; Davangere Taluk—Groundnut, 8 annas; Molakalmuru Taluk—Giddaragi, 12 annas; Hosadurga Taluk—Til, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes generally find labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Black Quarter" in parts of the Davangere Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector attached to the taluk is taking needful action to arrest the spread of the disease. Water, fodder and food stuffs are generally available. In Challakere Taluk and parts of Chitaldrug, Hiriur, Hosadurga and Molakalmuru Taluks however, difficulty for fodder is being felt. Arrangements have been made for the free grazing of cattle from the affected parts in the State Forests of this district as well as in those of the Sira, Channagiri and Tarikere Taluks. Necessary funds have also been placed at the disposal of the Amildar, Challakere, for granting fodder loans.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

Dated Bangalore, 6th September 1927.

R. A. NARASIMHIENGAR,
Assistant Commissioner,
For Revenue Commissioner,
(absent from Station).

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horse gram at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday the 3rd September 1927.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 holas			District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 holas		
		Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horse gram			Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horse gram
Bangalore	Bangalore	Srs. ch. 4 8	Srs. ch. 9 8	Srs. ch. 5 12	Mysore	Nanjangud	Srs. ch. 4 8	Srs. ch. 8 8	Srs. ch. 7 0
	Hoskote	4 8	9 0	5 8		T. Narasipur	5 0	8 0	6 0
	Dodballapur	4 4	10 0	5 0		Malavalli	4 8	7 4	6 0
	Nelamangala	4 4	10 0	6 0		Mandya	4 8	8 8	6 0
	Kankanhalli	4 4	10 0	5 8		Krishnarejpete	4 8	8 8	6 8
	Magadi	4 8	10 0	7 0		Nagamangala	4 4	8 8	6 8
	Channarayana	4 8	8 8	6 0		Hasan	5 0	10 0	6 0
	Ankal	4 0	10 0	5 0		Manjarabad (Sables-pur)	4 8	7 0	6 0
	Devanhalli	4 8	9 8	5 0		Arkolgud	5 0	10 0	8 0
	Closetpet	4 8	8 8	6 0		Belur	4 12	10 0	5 0
	Kolar	4 8	10 0	6 0		Channarayana	5 0	9 0	6 0
	Bowringpet	5 0	10 8	5 0		Arasikere	4 8	10 0	6 0
	Chitramani	4 8	10 8	6 0		Hole-Narasipur	5 0	10 0	7 0
	Mulbagal	4 8	9 0	6 0		Alur	5 0	9 0	5 8
Kolar	Siddaghatta	4 0	9 0	5 0	Shimoga	Shimoga	5 0	10 0	6 8
	Chitballapur	4 8	10 0	5 0		Channagiri	4 12	12 0	5 0
	Bagepalli	4 0	11 0	6 0		Honnali	5 0	11 0	5 0
	Goribidnur	4 8	10 8	5 8		Shikarpur	4 4	12 0	5 0
	Malur	4 8	10 0	5 8		Sorab	5 0	12 0	6 0
	Srinivasapur	4 4	10 0	6 0		Sagar	4 0	8 0	5 0
	Gudibanda	4 8	11 8	5 8		Nagar (Kallurkatti)	5 0	16 0	4 0
	Tumkur	4 8	10 0	6 0		Tirthahalli	4 8	9 0	5 0
	Maddur	4 12	10 0	6 0		Kumsi	4 8	9 0	4 8
	Chiknayakanhalli	4 8	10 0	6 0		Chikmagalur	5 0	11 0	6 0
	Sira	4 8	9 0	5 0		Kadur	4 12	11 0	6 0
	Gubbi	4 8	9 0	5 0		Tarikere	5 0	11 0	5 0
	Tiptur	5 0	10 0	6 0		Koppa	5 0	8 0	5 8
	Pavagada	4 8	9 0	5 8		Mudgere	4 8	9 0	5 0
Mysore	Kunigal	5 0	10 0	6 0	Chitaldrug	Narasimharajapura	5 0	9 0	5 8
	Koratagere	4 0	9 0	5 8		Sringeri	4 12	8 0	4 8
	Turavakere	4 8	9 0	6 0		Chitaldrug	4 8	10 0	5 0
	Mysore	4 8	9 0	6 0		Challakere	5 0	9 0	8 0
	Chamrajnagar	4 4	8 0	6 4		Hiriyur	4 8	10 0	6 0
	Seringapatam	4 8	8 8	6 0		Holalkere	4 8	12 0	6 0
	Hunur	5 0	8 0	6 0		Davangere	5 0	11 0	6 0
	Yadatore	5 9	9 0	7 0		Molakalmuru	4 0	9 0	6 0
	Heggadewankota	4 8	10 0	6 0		Jagalur	4 4	10 0	6 0
	Gundalpet	4 0	8 0	6 8		Hosdurga	4 8	11 0	6 0
						Harihar	4 8	11 0	7 0

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Assistant Commissioner,
For Revenue Commissioner.
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